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ABSTRACT:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide an image printer whereby respective users can distribute preferred images.

SOLUTION: An image selected by a user from the images photographed by the image printer 1 is transmitted to an image distribution server connected to the image printer 1 via a network. The image distribution server distributes the image received by itself to a mobile phone designated by the mail address

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entered when the image printer 1 selects the image. When a group comprising a plurality of users uses the image printer 1, the image distribution server distributes the images selected by the respective users to the mobile phones designated by the mail addresses entered by the respective users. This invention is applicable to image printers to automatic photo sticker vending machines.

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